

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
LABOUR
LOK SABHA**

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SUB-ACCOUNTS OFFICES
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Will the Minister of LABOUR be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of the Accounts Offices for Employees Provident Funds and Pensions in India and their total collection in terms of EPF and PF;
- (b) whether the Government have any plans to start more sub-accounts offices for EPF and PF in the country;
- (c) if so, the details of the places, State-wise; and
- (d) the number of regional EPF and PF offices situated in Tamil Nadu indicating income generated through various Accounts Offices and Sub-accounts Offices of EPF and PF in the State and number of subscribers in each of these offices in the State?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE FOR LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT (SHRI MUNI LALL)

(a): There are at present 17 Regional, 66 Sub-Regional and 20 Sub-Accounts offices of the EPF Organisation functioning in the country. During 1998-99, an amount of Rs. 7795.54 crore was received by the EPF Organisation as contributions payable under the E.P.F. & M.P. Act, 1952.

(b) & (c): There is a proposal to open a Sub-Regional Office of the EPFO at Gangtok in Sikkim.

(d): Details of EPF Offices and position of subscribers' strength, office-wise, in Tamil Nadu are as under:-

Name of office	Subscribers' strength
Regional Office, Chennai.	10,91,367
Sub Regional Office, Coimbatore	3,78,576
Sub Regional Office, Madurai	4,05,315
Sub Regional Office, Trichy	2,60,837
Sub Regional Office, Tirunelveli	5,25,044
Sub Regional Office, Salem	2,19,809
Sub Regional Office, Vellore	1,99,974
Sub Accounts Office, Ambattur	2,25,958
Sub Accounts Office, Tambaram	2,68,443

An amount of Rs. 36.24 crore was collected as income in the Administrative Revenue Account in Tamil Nadu and Pondicherry.